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INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO. <b>PCT/EP02/13765</b>	INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE <b>December 5, 2002</b>	PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED <b>January 18, 2002</b>
TITLE OF INVENTION <b>CLUSTER MILL, IN PARTICULAR A SIX-HIGH CLUSTER MILL WITH AN AXIALLY DISPLACING AND HOLDING DEVICE DISPLACEABLY SUPPORTED INTERMEDIATE ROLLS AND/OR WORKING ROLLS</b>		
APPLICANT(S) FOR DO//US <b>KONRAD WALTER SCHUNN, WERNER KLUGE</b>		
Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:		
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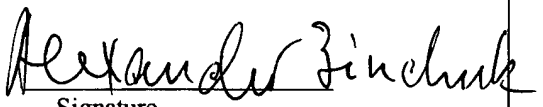
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